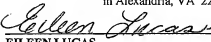


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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 27, 2007. Enclosed is a Petition for a 3 month extension of time which will extend the time for response to February 27, 2008. Please enter the amendments and consider the remarks below.